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SUBJECT: POSSIBLE SOVIET RESTRICTION ON PRIVATE
VISITS TO USG EMPLOYEES IN SOVIET UNION

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1. MFA CONSULAR ADMINISTRATION HAD GIVEN SAME
RESPONSE TO EMBASSY'S REPRESENTATION ON BEHALF OF
MS. ALLEN'S PROPOSED GUESTS, MR. AND MRS. BLAKE
RODMAN, AS SOVIET EMBASSY CONSULAR DIVISION DID TO
DEPARTMENT, I.E., RODMANS MUST MAKE LODGING
ARRANGEMENTS THROUGH INTOURIST BECAUSE THEY ARE NOT
RELATIVES OF MS. ALLEN. IN EFFORT TO EXERT PRESSURE
ON MFA TO REVERSE DECISION, EMBASSY ON JUNE 16
FORMALLY NOTED THAT RODMANS HAVE NOW BEEN INVITED
AS GUESTS OF CHARGE' AND REQUESTED VISAS BE
AUTHORIZED ON THAT BASIS. WE DO NOT YET HAVE MFA
RESPONSE.

2. EMBASSY BELIEVES THAT MFA'S DECISION IN THIS
CASE MAY REFLECT CURRENT NEGATIVE STATE OF BILATERAL
RELATIONS. IT APPEARS THAT MFA HAS PURPOSEFULLY
CHOSEN AN AREA WHERE WE CANNOT RECIPROCATATE SINCE
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VIRTUALLY ALL VISITS TO SOVIET OFFICIALS SERVING
IN U.S. ARE BY FAMILY MEMBERS. WE SHALL MONITOR
TO SEE WHETHER MFA ENFORCES THIS NEW PRONOUNCEMENT
ACROSS THE BOARD OR ON RANDOM BASIS. MATLOCK

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